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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos 1 – 8

Major **Part B** for Mar 1894

SUBJECT

Entertainment of the gentleman
the Mysore Education Dept and the terms
of his engagement

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27 of 7 3 1890 to the Resident in Mysore
Request to obtain the consent of the Govt
of India to the employment of a Englishman
named John Lee in the Edn Dept
(2D No) 1196/15090 of 14 4 '90 from the Asst to the Resident
Conveys sanction to the above
proposal

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C 322 of 2 5 90 To W A Porter, Lr dc

Communicates the Secretary of Govt of Mr ... to the appointment of Mr Weir and requests that he may be asked to start immediately

4 ($\frac{4386}{243}$) 1855 of 7 8 90 From the Comptroller

Informs that Mr Weir Principal of the Maharajah's College was paid from the 13th June @ Rs 800 per mensem and requests copies of the terms of his engagement

$\frac{5330}{387}$ of 15 8 90 To the Comptroller & Edn Secy

Forwards copy of sl 2

6 $\frac{5329}{386}$ of 15 8 90 To the Comptroller

Forwards extract of a para of Dewans letter to the Resdt containing the terms of Mr Weirs employment in Mysore Service

7 ($\frac{3464}{31435}$) $\frac{1821}{29}$ of 10-9 94 From the Secy Edn Deptt

Requests to be supplied with a copy of order relating to the terms on which Mr Weir was employed in Mysore Service

8 $\frac{7166}{12\ 91}$ of 6 11 94 To the Secy. Edn Deptt

Forwards copy of sl 6 together with the copy of the extract ref: to therein

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(General Serial No 31)

1890

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~~From~~

A. Resident in Mysore

of 1889-90

~~To~~

Dated 11th March

Despatched 12

Received 15th Sept

Enclosures No

~~General No~~ ~~No.~~ 27

Requesting to obtain the consent of the Government of India to the employment of an Englishman named John Weir in the Education Department.

Submitted for approval together with the Draft Telegram declining the offer and the Porter Osgood letter regarding Mr Were

by

6/3/90

approved

CWH

7/3/90

To

The Resident in Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to obtain the Consent of the Govt of India to the Employment by the Durbar of ~~a European Gentleman~~ an Englishman named John Were

~~I have~~

2 I enclose Extracts from letters by Professor Jack of Glasgow & written by Mr W A Porter the ~~Chief Inspector of Schools~~ well known Educationist of Southern India who was for some time Tutor to His Highness the Maharajah — These letters describe in full Mr Were's qualifications for Educational work The Durbar requires ~~a Teacher~~ a Good Educational Officer for Mysore, in addition to the Tutor whose appointment

was recently sanctioned by
the Govt of India — After
Very Careful Enquiry ~~on~~
His Highness believes
~~that~~ that Mr Were may
~~be expected to~~ will make an
Excellent Principal of the
Mysore College, the present
H? Master of which should,
it is proposed,
from retire Mr Rice of
the Educational Secretaryship,
So as to enable the last named
devote his entire time to the
officer to Completion of the Archæological
special work, within the Short
remaining term of his
Employment in Mysore — Note

3 It is proposed to offer to
Mr Were the same terms
~~(as those)~~ offered to & accepted
by Mr Tait — Namely

(a) Rs 500 per month to start with
and rising to Rs 700 a month
by annual increments of Rs 50

(b) Term of Employment four
years certain subject to
Confirmation or otherwise
at the end of that term

Mr Were will at present be employed
at Mysore, and will be able
to take up the teaching of Sciences
& Mathematics at the Bangalore
Central College, and we could have
so an Assistant at any time — Mrs Were
would undertake to carry the
management & arrangements of the
~~Hostel~~ Standard of the Mysore
College & Mr Were will be
specially employed when
this has to be done

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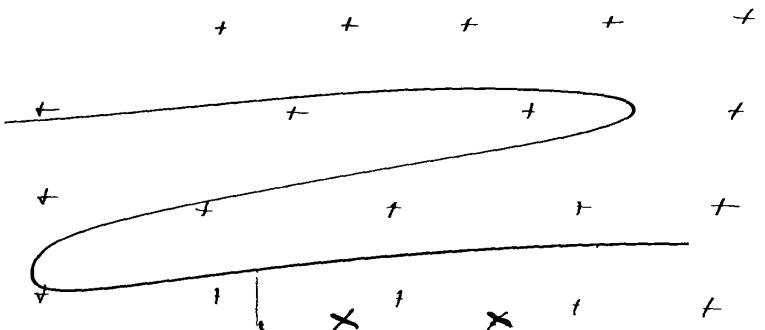
I It would be very convenient that
I should see you on the
reopening of the College
after the Summer Vacation
Vacation, and I shall
therefore feel much obliged
if the Early Order of
the Court of Session

Thursday
6/3/97

My dear Lewis



I had from a letter from Sir W. A. Pate, 6th Devon of 31 January 1890

"I have been in treaty professionally with another man who I think would do well He is a Cambridge man and was 16th Wrangler not so good a degree as Piggott's but still it denotes a knowledge of Mathematics above what he will be required to teach He is at the present time assistant to Professor Jack the Professor of Mathematics in the University of Glasgow which of itself speaks highly for him I enclose a note from Professor Jack regarding his qualifications He is a man of nice manners and my brother, the Master of Peterhouse at which College he was

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was has spoken to me of him
most favorably

Mrs Hay

Her age I think is
27 or 28

Mrs Hay

I don't
think he would go out under
$ 500 a month

Mrs Hay

I forgot to mention that his
name is John Hay, I am
sure he would serve your
purpose admirably and he
has already had considerable
experience in teaching"

Yours

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2- Extract from a letter from
Professor Jack to W. W. a Porter
of 19 January 1890

~~My dear Porter~~

"My Assistant John Weir tells me that he is anxious about a professorship of Mathematics in India in which you are interested and that I might write you about him. He came to my Senior class ten years ago and was altogether 4 years with me as a student. He took all the regular prizes and took his degree (M A) with first class honors in Mathematics and Natural Philosophy. After that he had the Whitworth Fellowship here and had tutorial classes both Senior and Meddle which he taught admirably.

In 1883 he went to Cambridge where he did very well and was bracketed 16th Wrangler in the Tripos. On the strength of this degree and of what I knew of his work and character I was very glad when he was

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able to take one of my assestantships here in 1886 Since that he has been with me as he is now I give him both junior and Senior and upper Senior work He acts also as one of the Assestant Scamners in Arts in thes University having to Examine in Dynamics and Elementary Physical Science as well as in Mathematics Of course both his Glasgow degree and his Cambridge degree — he is now M A - were only got by proof of hegher Knowledge in Physics and Dynamics as well as in Mathematics

I can confedently say that I should Expect him to prove a very competent professor both of Mathematics and of Natural Philosophy to a considerable stage of advance - ment He is a good teacher and an Excellent fellow in whose promotion I am much interested and from whom I should Expect Excellent work He has done very good work with me and he is an agreeable and thoroughly trustworthy colleague

Ever faithfully yours

Tait

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From The Asst to the Resident
The ~~Chief Secretary to the Govt~~
of Mysore

To

Dated 14-4-90

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No 1196 ✓

No 15090

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Telegraph as follows

Porter
Care Grindlay
London

Wears appointment
Sanctioned
immediately — Start

Please Verify Mr P's address
by reference to previous
Correspondence

Done 15/4/90

Conveying the sanction of the Govt of India to the employment by the Mysore Durbar of Mr John Weston in the Mysore Educational Dept

No 1196
15090

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From

The Assistant to the Resident in Mysore

To

The Dewan of Mysore

Submitted
as
14/4/90

Dated Bangalore 14 April 1890.

Sir

In reply to your letter No 27
& 211 dated the 7th March 1890, I am directed
to convey the sanction of the Governme
of India to the employment by the
Mysore Durbar of Mr John Wats
in the Mysore Educational Departmen
and on a salary of Rs 500 per mensem
rising by annual increments of Rs 50/-
to Rs 700/ per mensem

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedient Servant

L. S. Leonard

Assistant to the Resident

(General Serial No 31.)

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To W A Porter Esq
London

Dated 2nd May 1890

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No

General No 322

No

Communicating the sanction of the Govt of India to the report of his Wrer & requesting that he may be asked to start immediately

From
The Dewan of Mysore
Ootacamund

To
W A Porter Esq/re
Care of Grindlay & Co.
London

News appointment sanctioned x Start immediately

2-5-90

Signed T Ananda Row
Chief Secretary to
Mysore Government
For Dewan of Mysore

Camp No. 322

Copy forwarded by post to Mr W A Por. for information

By Order
Draft
Asst Chief Secre.

Office of the Dewan of Mysore
Camp Ootacamund 6th Mar. 1890

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General Serial No 30)

1890

From The Comptroller of Mysore

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore

Dated 9th August 1890

Despatched

Received 13 AUG 1890

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF MYSORE 4386 15 AUG 90 243

Enclosures No

General No 1855

No

Informing that Mr Wm Ancyar of the Maharajahs College was paid from the 13th June @ Rs 500 per annum and requesting copy of the terms of his engagement

To be returned

Submitted

Recd 15/8/90

Drafted 15/8

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OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF MYSORE

Bangalore, 4th August 1890

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From

A RANGASWAMI IYENGAR Esq

Comptroller of Mysore

To

The Chief Secretary to the

Government of Mysore

I have the honor to inform you that Mr Weir Principal of the Maharaja College Mysore, was paid from the 13th June, the date on which he assumed charge of his duties, at the rate of Rs 500/ per mensem on a bill received through the Education Secretary, but as Mr. Weir under Proceedings No 1032-37 dated March 1890 was placed on the 2nd of Superior Educational Officers of which is Rs 400/ rising Annual increments of Rs 5

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Request that my action may be confirmed and that Copies of the terms of his Engagement, as also that of the Government of India sanctioning his entertainment in the Mysore State may be furnished to this Office

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most obedient Servant

Arrangements
for entertaining
of Mysore

(General series No 5)

1890

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From

To The Comptroller

Dated 15th
Despatched 18 August/90
Received

Enclosures No

General No 5329
No 586

Mrs Letter No 1855 of the
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In reply to the above,
forwards an extract
para No 3 of the Dewans
letter to the Resident No
27 of the 7 March/90
containing the terms of
Mr Weirs employment
in Mysore Service

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Chief Secy

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From

M. BHABHA Esq.,
Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
Education Department

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Dewan of Mysore

No 1821/29

Dated 10 September 1894

Received

Enclosures

SUBJECT

Asking for a copy of Govt Order relating to the terms on which Mr Veer Virincha of the Maharaja's College was employed in the Mysore Service

Sd/ P Srinivasa Iyengar
for Comptroller 25/10/94

Sd/ [illegible] 26/10/94

G/L 12/9/94

Refer Genl Records

Please put up the papers quoted
There is also no file under
these two quotations was sent
to Surgeon-Major Bell on 6 3 92 Bp 14/9

Urgent

No 1824/29

OFFICE OF SECRETARY TO GOVT OF MYS
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
~~Bangalore~~ Mysore 10 September 1894

From

H J BHABHA, ESQ,
Secretary to the Govt of Mysore,
Education Department

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that there is no record in this office of the terms on which the services of Mr J Weir, Principal, Maharaja's College, Mysore were engaged by the Mysore Government I request therefore you will be good enough to send me, at your earliest convenience, a Copy of Proceedings No 5329-386 dated 15th August 1890 forwarding to the Comptroller an extract of para 3 of the Dewans letter to the Resident, No 27 of the 7th March 1890, containing the terms of Mr Weirs employment in the Mysore service.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H J Bhabha
Secretary

&c

GOVERNMENT PRESS, MYSORE.

Office of the Dewan's Sypore

Dated Bangalore 6 Nov/94

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To

The Secretary to the
Dewans Mysore,
Education Dept

Sir

With reference to your letter No 1521/29 of 10th September 1894, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of Proceedings No 5329/386 dated 15th August 1890 together with extract copy of para 3 of letter No 27 dated 7th March 1890 from the Dewan to the Resident containing the terms of Mr Weir's employmen